

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Applicants:

Schicker & Schäfer GmbH

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For: Device for Cleaning and Rinsing

Drinking Vessels

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests the following amendments as set forth herein.

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: